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Montreal, Jan. 2.—Canada turned her back on the most trying year of her recent history, she looked to the past and future with relief and hope. That, at last, is the sentiment which some of her most prominent business leaders are entering in 1931. They find it difficult not to believe that we have seen the worst of our present troubles.

The year, now ended, has been a complex of crisis and adversity. It has seen the problems of the pulp and paper industry intensified, a mining boom exploded, the construction industry deflated, the stock market swept into a trough of depression, and agricultural prosperity brought to the lowest ebb it has reached in a generation.

In its train it has brought an inevitable sag in railway earnings, manufacturing and retail business, and stagnation in financial houses that were still crowded a year ago, and have heaved a financial burden on the shoulders of the banks which it is fortunate they were well prepared to carry.

In surveying the debacle of what has seemed impregnable prosperity Canadians have at least the consolation of knowing that its causes are outside Canada, and that it, therefore, casts no reflection on the soundness of the country itself. Canada is by no means alone in her present troubles, and compared with many other parts of the world, she is still relatively fortunate. The seeds of opportunity are not dead, and when this winter of our discontent is over they will sprout again more rapidly here than in most other countries.

Our present troubles are almost all of them phases of a world situation and merely wait upon its readjustment for their cure. That situation has been called over-production. It has also been called under-consumption. In other quarters a world shortage of gold is held responsible. The truth is that there has been over-production in relation to buying power.

For a generation past there has been a surprisingly rapid improvement throughout the whole range of industry in the efficiency of our production methods. The result has been a great increase in the volume of most goods produced. Meanwhile the aftermath of the war, plus the flow of post-war trade has brought about a concentration of roughly one half the world's gold in the bank vaults of France and the United States. Much of this gold should be loaned to the rest of the world.

Since it is idle to say that its retirement from circulation has left the world with a supply of money inadequate for the work that money has to do, and the only way to make one dollar do the work of two is to make it buy twice as much goods, in other words cut prices in half. That the main reason why prices have for 18 months been tumbling steadily toward the point where the world's diminished stock of money will be in line with its increased stock of goods.

It was the chief factor in converting the recession of last winter into the memorable slump of this. It lies behind 50-cent wheat for, though the fact was hardly recognized at the time, a heavy drop in European buying power formed the background for the broken wheat market of 1929.

The embarrassing features of this world condition is that they lie beyond our own control. That does not mean, however, that they are beyond human control. There are remedies for the present monetary straits and the sooner they are applied the sooner we and the rest of the world will be able to breathe easily again. It is impossible to believe that the widespread economic distress of the past six months has not awakened all the nations to the needs of the monetary situation. Action is already being discussed internationally among bankers and action will presently come.

Meanwhile, nature's crude remedies are slowly at work. Production is curtailed, surplus goods are being gradually consumed, falling prices are bringing those goods more and more temptingly within range of the purchaser's pocket, and the purchaser himself, everywhere, is daily getting nearer to the point where he must start buying again to supply his needs.

Thus, the very life of falling prices and industrial stagnation are themselves working toward their own cure.

Business believes that the turn will come in 1931. A growing number of industrial leaders on this continent are voicing the opinion that it is now fairly close at hand. It will take time to repair the ravages that our economic machine has suffered and to bring all its parts once more into smooth working alignment.

For thousands of people in every Canadian province, however, life will seem brighter when they know that the process of repair is under way. This seems to be the big hope of Canadian business for 1931.

NEW YEAR MESSAGE

(By Premier J. E. Brownlee)

Today we close the calendar of a year marked by economic readjustment so rapid and sudden as to cause widespread anxiety and fear. My earnest hope is that as the first essential step towards recovery our people will greet the New Year with a revival of the forward-looking spirit of courage and good cheer. With-out in any way underestimating the seriousness of our economic problems, let us reflect that we have in higher measure than a decade ago the essentials of human happiness; our children enjoy advantages and opportunities not known by an earlier generation; our economic depression arises from no inherent weakness in our Provincial life, but is part of the ebb and flow of world conditions. However great may be the world problems of the day, humanity never faced greater problems more richly endowed spiritually, mentally and physically than this that may be added the favored position of a people living in a young state only at the beginning of its development with such varied sources of national wealth as these of our Province. Our duty at this time is clear; to join as individuals and as a nation in a wholehearted effort to alleviate immediate distress and maintain the institutions and services we consider essential, and in an equally wholehearted way to work out those principles and values fundamental to our economic development. An ancient Hebrew philosopher and seer said of a certain people and time, "Then began each man to help his neighbor and one man to the other 'Be of good cheer'." The same spirit of neighborly help and neighborly encouragement will see us through these trying times.

AND IT PAYS

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A census of traffic, recently taken on all main roads in London, called for the services of 15,000 men working in relays.

COMMUNICATION

(We do not necessarily endorse the sentiments advanced by this or any other correspondent under this heading.—Ed.)

CALENDARS AND HOME PRODUCTS

Dear Sir—
We all have a new collection of calendars which have been kindly donated by the business people with whom we deal. Some of them are very beautiful, artistically so, but generally speaking they have been produced by foreigners. Some, it is true, have been "Finished in Canada" which perhaps means that the hole by which we hang them on a nail was punched in them, in Canada.

In these times I think it would be better if the production of calendars be encouraged in this country, and for the information of those strictly concerned I wish to say that of the two most artistically beautiful calendars that I have, one was produced in Canada and the other in Great Britain.

I hope when calendar time comes again that we shall have calendars made in Canada. Also that the makers will run out of milk tickets which were printed in the United States. If the sons and daughters of Canada are to be employed it is about time that the general public insisted more insistently that as much as possible of those things which must be bought should be the products of our own people.

Yours sincerely,

J. H. HODSON.

MR. BENNETT'S SPEECH

To the Editor of The Times.

Dear Sir—
The much advertised speech of Mr. Bennett was doubtless a political success, but it was a national disappointment, which can easily result in agrarian slavery, if the farmers are forced by circumstances to mortgage their farms for seed and food to financial interests who already have juggled them out of their crop at ridiculously low prices through their manipulations of the greatest bear market in grain, stocks and oils.

Every Canadian, regardless of political creed, was hoping for the pronouncement of a statesman, yet, once again there was inflicted upon them the propaganda of a petty politician. A careful analysis of the speech shows a studied scheme to capitalize the existing economic depression for partisan purposes by displaying the best goods of a bad stock in the front windows, while the worm-eaten fruit is handed out gratis to the ragged and hungry unemployed, or sold to farmers who have been blinded by the sun of prosperity in past years.

The speech, and the studied policy behind it will doubtless keep the desperate and hungry crowd quiet a little longer, just as it will keep the farmer scratching his head and wondering if he should "Buy Ducks" next time, now that the food has drowned all his hens but far from bringing any real hope to those who are on the borders of despair, it will just be another public proof that Canada

is in the clutching hands of huge financial interests who are determined, if possible, to get a mortgage on the farmer's farm as well as to corner his crop at prices ruinous to the producer.

The writer will not waste ink at ten cents an ounce, which can be produced at ten cents per gallon, in dealing with all the political huckstering of the speech, but solemnly warns all farmers not to borrow one red cent from any revolving fund if he can find any other way out of his difficulties.

These huge financial interests are experts in the manufacture of revolving machinery which, like the wheels of the road roller, are specially designed to crush and grind into the dust everything that hinders their progress.

Every man's security lies in keeping out of debt and the farmer especially has a secure living if he can rig himself of the social and economic parasite which sucks up all his reserves of strength by interest charges.

The king pin in Canada's wagon of progress, of course, is wheat, and it will not always sell at 50c for No. 1 Northern, basis Fort William. Mr. Bennett and every other person who keeps track of the social and economic situation when July wheat was quoted at 18 1/2c in July, 1929, there was a huge carry over in spite of the short crop to be harvested. He probably also knows that in two months, June and July, 1929, wheat went up from 19c to 18 1/2c. All the propaganda at that time was designed to make people believe it was going to \$2.00 and many were badly stung in futures. The farmer will get stung again if he does not keep out of debt.

Signed,

ANTI-HUMBBUG.

FIXED PRICE ON WHEAT

To the Editor:

Dear Sir—

If I may have space in your valued paper, I would like to discuss briefly a resolution coming before the U. F. A. Annual Convention at Calgary 20-23. The resolution calls for a fixed price on wheat of \$1.15 per bushel, f.o.b. Fort William.

This is a good resolution, but to succeed we believe it must be associated with another resolution aiming at reduced production. Now, why are farmers asking for relief? First, because of high tariff walls against our wheat in foreign markets and over-production in the large exporting countries, we are faced with ruin. Secondly, the Hon. R. B. Bennett promises protection to all other Canadian industries, but while millions are spent for relief and tariffs are raised, nothing has been done for the wheat producers. His announcement at Regina, Dec. 30th, was distinctly disappointing. Evidently it is up to the U. F. A. Convention itself, through its U. F. A. representatives at Ottawa, to lay the solution before the Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett.

In dealing with this resolution, let us first see what has happened in the U. S. A.

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wheat and stabilize prices. At first the objective was \$2.00 per bushel, but while domestic consumption was at that time nearly equal to the amount produced, and Mr. Legge asked the wheat producer to reduce their acreage, the opposite happened, with the result that the Farm Board has become more and more ineffective. A serious mistake was made, that we must avoid.

To fix a price on wheat, the Canadian Government must itself undertake to buy that wheat and dispose of it. Consequently it must lay down by legislation the rules and conditions on which it proposes to do so. It is fitting that these rules should originate from the coming U. F. A. Convention.

In asking for \$1.15 per bushel, we believe the U. F. A. Board was very fair and; as all other industrial concerns will not accept less than what an article is worth, we see no reason why we, the farmers, should ask for less. But we must face this fact, if a fixed price is set for all the wheat we can possibly raise, then we would soon run up against brokers ahead, and our hopes fall flat. We must also face this fact that producers will not reduce their acreage either voluntarily or by legislation, and that we must, therefore, attack the problem from a different angle.

Now this is the solution we would ask fellow farmers to support:

(1) That we ask for a fixed price of \$1.15 per bushel on only 700 bushels of wheat from each quarter section of land;

(2) That we ask the Canadian Government to establish a buying and selling agency to control all this wheat which comes under a fixed price;

(3) To assure our government of the domestic market, we ask that legislation be passed making it compulsory for millers to purchase wheat from the Canadian Government at the fixed price or under such regulations as may be laid down by the Government;

(4) That farmers may raise as much wheat as they wish for export trade without government interference as in the past;

(5) The fixed price shall apply only to contract grades Nos. 1, 2, 3

and 4 (other wheat suitable for flour subject to government regulations); (6) That insofar as millers already have a supply of wheat, we ask the Federal Government to make the fixed retroactive on the 1930 crop at a somewhat smaller figure.

We believe, Mr. Editor, that if the farmers were assured of a fixed price on a certain portion of their wheat crop, that the resultant prosperity and sense of security would much more than make up for small loss the Government might sustain. Under present world conditions, the demand is not only fair, but even beneficial to all other classes and industries in Canada, for it means the free circulation of money.

At least, it is a "pinch hitter" that would disappear as wheat prices go up, but automatically come into action in times of depression. We believe, too, that if we can get this idea across then other large wheat exporting countries would follow our example, over-production decrease, and world prices on wheat would become more stabilized at a fair price.

But, be that as it may, the solution offered by combining fixed price and limited quantity makes the farmer, who would otherwise make a "hog" of himself, see sense whether he wishes to or not. He is still subject to the law of supply and demand.

Nor will such a system seriously interfere with the operation of the Wheat Pool or other elevator companies. We would respectfully ask U. F. A. Locals to support this resolution at the forthcoming Convention.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your valued space, I am,

Yours truly,

P. C. HANSON,

Pres., "Wide Awake" U. F. A. Local.

Bawlf, Alberta.



WHEN FOOD SOURS

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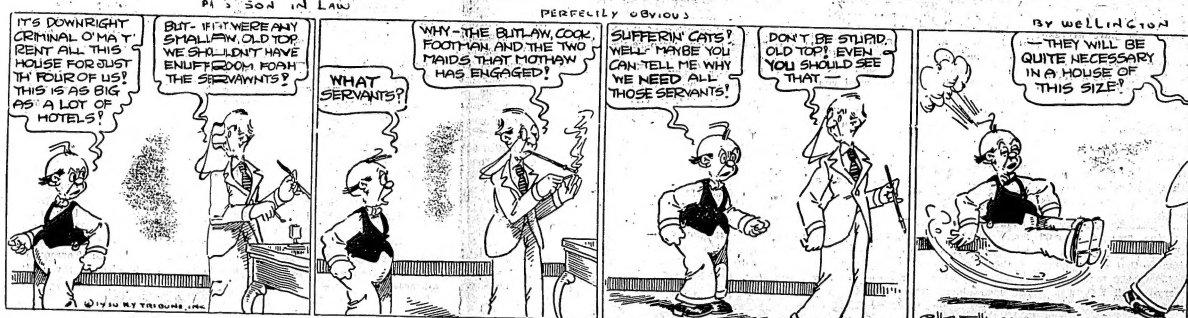
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Minerals are present in varying amounts in a wide variety of foods, but, as we have shown, an adequate supply of minerals is secured by those who include fruits and vegetables in their diet each day.

The mineral present in fruits and vegetables are in what is called the organic form, which is the form best suited for their ingestion into the body for its use. The best way to obtain the minerals we need is through the proper selection of foods, not by the use of drugs.

It is not to be denied that many persons apparently thrive on diets to which they give no attention. In many of such cases, however, a variety of food is used, and so a balanced diet is secured. The point is, however, that most individuals would only a greater measure of health if they were to give some thought to what they eat.

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Solution for Wheat

The great event of the week to western Canadians has been the pronouncement of Premier R. B. Bennett at Regina, in which he outlined his proposals for solving the problem of wheat and trade depression.

Western Canada, and indeed the whole of the Dominion as well as the United States of America, had waited eagerly for the text of the prime minister's speech. Hope was high that the premier would have a plan that would open a door to prosperity immediately. Perhaps hope soared too high. The public expected too much, almost the impossible, from the government.

Before an audience of 5,000 people, Premier Bennett made his historic speech, following his usual tactics and going to the heart of his problem with energy and sincerity. Whatever the outcome may or may not be, that Mr. Bennett and his government are clearly and sincerely committed to the finding a way out of the present difficulties for the western farmers cannot be denied.

Briefly stated his plan includes: Credit arrangements to prevent forced selling of the 1930 crop of wheat.

Creation of a private corporation to lend money to assist farmers in getting into mixed farming.

Assistance for the provincial governments in providing, free food, clothing and seed grain for needy farmers.

The guarantee of the French government to purchase 7,000,000 to 9,500,000 bushels of the 1930 crop.

The opening of negotiations with the Chinese government for the sale of Canadian wheat in China.

Promises of grain rates on the Hudson Bay railway, when it is placed in operation next year, based on the basis of the Crownsnest Pass rates.

Mr. Bennett and his government does not at present divulge the details of the arrangement to be made with the bankers, when it is the forced selling of the 1930 crop, but the assurance that such steps will be taken in an adequate measure is expected to have a beneficial influence on the wheat market.

It means that the banks will not allow a farmer to be forced by default to sell his wheat until he can secure for it a price that will reward him for its production and protect him from loss. The relief measures to be given by the federal government through the provincial governments to the farmers who are needy are especially welcomed by the public.

The news that France would take a large quantity of Canadian wheat has been announced before, more or less definitely, but the premier set his stamp of authenticity upon the news at his Regina meeting.

Without question the two most striking and important features of the Bennett proposals to solve the depression problem are his announcement that steps are actually being taken to open up a vast market for Canadian wheat in China, and the plan to form a private corporation that will through loans help the western Canadian farmer to get away from his "wheat mining" methods and go in for stock raising as well as grain growing.

Agricultural experts, economists, politicians, merchants, manufacturers and farmers in Canada have for long been fingering the ears of the western farmers the necessity for changing their methods and abandoning the practice of simply growing wheat and oats for sale to the elevator companies, and going in for cattle, hogs, chickens and other kinds of farm stock, in order to have more than one line

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to depend upon for their return for their labor.

It is possible that had the wheat market held up under the strain of the general trade depression in the world and the growing of wheat remained as profitable as it has been, the advice so constantly and so consistently dinned into the ears of the farmers would have gone unheeded. But now the grain-anchors of low prices faces the farmer and he is opening his eyes to the fact that he has been blind to his best interests.

Some farmers—wise men who have read the signs of the times—have heeded the warnings for years and there are men throughout the west who are committed to stock-raising successfully. But in general the hard times once again finds the western agriculturists unprepared for anything else than to take their golden stream of grain to the elevators at prices below cost of production.

All over the west today the farmers who have been raising hogs, sheep, cattle, are feeding their low-priced grain to these animals and getting from them the profit they would fall to get from simple wheat growing.

But there are thousands of farmers caught in the backwash of trade depression, whose grain—high grade produce—is a drug on the market and a loss to them. Mr. Bennett's proposal is that a private corporation given a federal charter shall loan money to these farmers to enable them to purchase the cattle, sheep, hogs, necessary to feed their grain to and in this way redeem their heavy setback in the wheat market.

There can be little doubt that the financial difficulties of the farmers will be met by the plan. At least their need for funds with which to purchase livestock to feed the cheap grain to will be adequately met.

Perhaps the most dramatic and unexpected and at the same time the most promising feature of Mr. Bennett's plan is his announcement that already measures are being taken to open up a great market for Canadian wheat in China.

The recent trade delegation of the chamber of commerce to the Orient drew attention to this potential market for western grains and stressed the value of it to the Dominion. Now comes the announcement of the prime minister at Regina that the Canadian minister at Tokio was already on his way to Nanking on a mission to negotiate with the Chinese government for the opening up of a market for wheat there.

A strikingly promising feature of this move is the willingness of the Canadian government to provide credits to China for the purchase of this wheat. This has very much the character of a master stroke of aggressive government action in the interest of trade and the solution of the present difficulties.

China is a country teeming with people who must be fed. It is not a wheat growing country, the staple grain hitherto has been rice, but the habits of living in China are changing and wheat is taking the place of rice as the staple food.

This is Canada's opportunity, but in order to secure the market the

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Let's Face the Future

—the Past is History



MANY will witness the passing of 1930 with a sigh of relief. It was a most trying year for the whole world. But—it has gone—we're through with it! Let us now resolve to shake off its atmosphere of depression and discouragement—wipe any fog of despair and hopelessness from our mental vision—lift our heads, face the facts and go forward into the dawn of a New Year filled with the undaunted courage and unalterable determination that is our heritage.

True, the millenium has not arrived. But, basically and fundamentally, conditions are sound, politically, industrially, socially and financially. It is only necessary that we adjust our thinking and calmly realize that our dreams of effortless ease and accumulations not earned by hard work and self-denial were merely dreams—to be laughed at, now that we are awake and on the job again.

We can readjust our budgets to fit our earning capacity and cheerfully get back to hard work, intelligent economy and sane living. To assist in the accomplishment of these constructive ends Safeway Stores pledges its entire material and mental resources and wishes you all a truly "Happy and Prosperous New Year."

SAFEGWAY STORES

Chinese must be furnished with credits. The internal wars and political strife that have rent China during the past few years have almost left her bankrupt. The money with which to purchase Canadian grain is lacking, and unless it can be supplied the door of opportunity for Canada will remain closed.

Mr. Bennett's government has swept away this obstacle and dramatically made it possible for China to buy all the grain she requires by affording credits to that country. Minister Marler is now on his way to Nanking to make the offer to the Chinese government and to negotiate for the purchase of vast quantities of wheat from Canada.—Edmonton Journal.

ASSOCIATE COMMITTEE ON WEED CONTROL TO MEET

The Associate Committee on Weed Control will hold its second meeting at the University of Alberta on January 9th. This Committee was appointed by the National Research Council in response to requests from numerous organizations that the Council should assist in co-ordinating weed control investigations throughout the Dominion. A start was made during the past season, when J. M. Manson, a well-known graduate of the University of Alberta, was appointed as the Committee's special investigator to make a reconnaissance survey of the Prairie Provinces, to get a general view of the weed situation in this area, and to co-ordinate the survey results obtained by the Provincial Departments of Agriculture. The consideration of Mr. Manson's report will be one of the important items at the meeting.

Other reports are expected from representatives of the Federal and Provincial Departments of Agriculture, and from members of the Universities of Alberta and Saskatchewan who are receiving assistance from the National Research Council for weed control investigations. The Division of Biology and Agriculture of the National Research Laboratory will also report on experiments

begun at Edmonton on the use of various chemicals as weed-killers. Dr. H. M. Tery and a number of members of his Ottawa staff are expected to attend the meeting.

BANK ROBBERS ARE CAUGHT AFTER 30 MILE CHASE

Myrmah, Jan. 3.—With the capture of Alex Makowechug and Mike Mike Stefanuk early Saturday, after a sensational all-night search, provincial police officers believe they have effected the arrest of the two desperadoes who looted the Myrmah branch of the Bank of Montreal and escaped amid a hail of bullets Friday afternoon.

The two men had travelled over 30 miles in the period between the hold-up and their capture, with a heavily armed posse hot on the trail. Their capture was made by Constables A. H. Lechasseur of St. Paul and W. Winneck, of Willingdon.

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NOTICE

LUCAS SCHOOL DISTRICT 605—The annual meeting of taxpayers of Lucas School will be held in the school house on Friday, January 9, at 3 p.m. J. F. NOWELL, Sec. 42-1tn

DOWN AND OUT

Judge, it will go hard with you this time, Brownie, as you had been drinking again. Sambo: Yes, sah, Judge, but I am now a powerful Ah had. It was dat der chicken hootch.

Chicken hootch! Why I have never heard of dat before. Yes, sah, Judge, chicken hootch. One drink and you lay—Kreolite News.

Alberta's law-makers will meet in the first session of the seventh legislature of the province on January 29, one day earlier than last session. Premier Brownlee says that it will close not later than March 20, making a maximum eight weeks. "There will be unusual need and opportunity for co-operation," says Premier Brownlee, "and the government not only invites the co-operation of the other groups in the legislature but will be ready to lead the way toward that end."

Japan is importing considerably more flour from Canada this year than last. The Japanese, it is stated, are using increasing quantities of flour and look to Canada as their chief source of supply.

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WEEKLY STOCK MARKET REPORT

The following is a weekly report from the Edmonton Stock Yards, prepared by a Times representative, for the week ending January 8th:

Receipts—Cattle, 367; calves, 80; hogs, 209; sheep, 263. Trading, in the last few days, has shown a little more life and buyers are somewhat keener in their demands and bidding, although receipts have really been insufficient to test the market of values, sales so far this week indicate that prices are showing a stronger tone being about 25c higher and in spots more.

Good to choice fed calves quoted at \$6.50 to \$7.50; the general run of good butcher steers and heifers quoted at \$5.50 to \$6.50, common to medium \$4.00 to \$5.00. Good to choice butcher cows \$4.00 to \$4.50, common to medium \$2.50 to \$3.50. Canners and cutters \$1.50 to \$2.50; bulls \$2.25 to \$2.75.

There are very few stocker and feeder cattle coming on the market; the market is only fair and prices remain unchanged.

Stocker and feeder steers quoted at \$4.25 to \$4.75, stocker heifers \$4.00 to \$4.50 and cows \$3.00 to \$3.75. Veal calves are decidedly strong. Bulk of the good to choice light vealers selling at \$9.00 to \$9.50, good heavies at \$7.00 to \$8.00 and common to medium at \$4.00 to \$5.00.

Hog market is inclined to be unsettled and lower. Today (Tuesday) hogs from the north sold at \$3.00 for the heavy end and \$2.25 for the light end, basis hams, locals and driven in hogs sold at \$7.50 for the heavy end and \$3.10 for the light end, basis hams, with selects bringing a 50c premium and butchers being discounted 50c per hundred, all on a fed and watered basis.

Note: New hog cuts that came into effect January 5th—Heavies \$1.50, extra heavies \$2.50, No. 1 sows \$2.50, No. 2 sows \$3.00 to \$4.00 and rough hogs \$4.00.

Arrivals of sheep for sale have been on the light order, with the market inclined to be indifferent. The general run of butcher lambs quoted at \$6.50 to \$7.00, choice kinds would bring a little more, yearlings at \$4.50 to \$5.50 and ewes at \$3.50 to \$4.50.

DEHORNING CALVES

(Experimental Farms Note)

Many of the breeders of purebred cattle, who follow the practice of showing, prefer to leave the horns on both males and females. The chief reason given is that the animals look more breedily and attractively to the judge and public. On the other hand, dehorned cattle, especially the males, are safer to handle and cause less injury to each other, and as the horns on cattle under ordinary farm conditions serve no useful purpose, most cattle owners prefer to have hornless cattle. If it were desirable to prevent the growth of the horns when the calves are a week to two weeks old than it is to remove them after the animals are three or four years of age. At an early age the horn, or "button," is only loosely attached to the skull and development can be most easily prevented at this time.

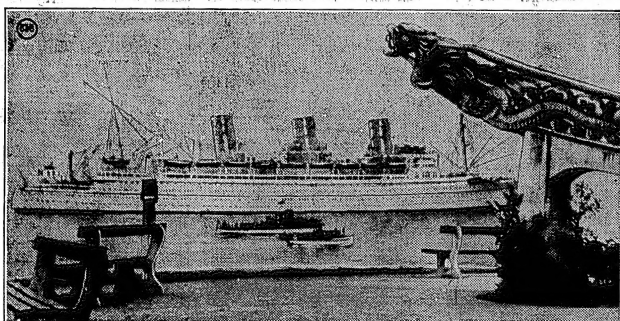
At the Dominion Experimental Station, Lacombe, Alberta, the Holstein calves are dehorned with caustic potash at from one to two weeks of age. The hair is clipped from around the horn button and a heavy coating of vaseline is rubbed around it in the hair to prevent severe burns wherever the caustic is likely to touch. Heavy brown paper is wrapped around the stick of caustic to prevent it from burning the fingers. The top of the button is shipped off with a sharp knife and the end of the caustic is moistened with water and rubbed on the wound until bleeding is stopped. In applying the caustic, care is taken that it does not run down the calf's head and either injure the eyes or take off the hair. After the caustic has been properly applied, the horn button is treated with vaseline. It will heal up in a short time and it thoroughly done this will do away with any necessity of dehorning grown animals. On the other hand if the dehorning is

Breakfast—Fruit, cereal, milk, eggs, toast, beverage. Luncheon or Supper—Main dish, vegetable, bread and butter, dessert. Dinner—Meat, potatoes, cooked vegetable, uncooked vegetable or salad, bread and butter, dessert. One Day's Adequate Menu Breakfast—Stewed prunes with sliced oranges, corn flakes, milk, poached eggs on toast, toast, coffee or caffeine-free coffee. Luncheon or supper—Corn and potato chowder, baked squash, bran muffins, cookies. Dinner—Swiss steak, baked potatoes, creamed onions, lettuce salad, chocolate blanc mange, milk (for children).

Gas on Stomach Is Dangerous

Gas, pain, bloating and sourness after eating almost always mean "too much acid" in the stomach. The condition is dangerous. Acid irritates the stomach lining and may lead to Ulcers. Gas forms and presses against the heart. The stomach needs an alkaline. Bismarck Magnesia powder or tablets—the ideal method of getting safe, quick, lasting relief. It neutralizes the excess acid, sweetens the stomach, breaks up the gas, stops the pain and sourness. Food digests naturally. It must give prompt relief or money back say druggists everywhere who sell it on this iron clad guarantee.

New Queen Salutes Former Sovereign



When the new Empress of Japan, latest pride of the Canadian Pacific steamships fleet and holder of three new trans-Pacific speed records, steamed into Vancouver harbor from the Far East recently she dipped her ensign in homage to the dragon-carved figurehead of the old Empress of Japan, queen of the Pacific from 1893 to 1922 during which she cruised a total of 2,500,000 miles in 58 round voyages from Vancouver and Victoria to Manila Bay. The gallant old ship, on which most of the senior officers of the new Empress of Japan, including Capt. Samuel Robinson, C.B.E., R.D., R.N., once served, was broken up and scrapped in Vancouver eight years ago, ending the career of a ship which made history on the Pacific. Public spirited efforts by the Vancouver Daily Province resulted in the figurehead (right) being preserved in Stanley Park, Vancouver, between Prospect Point and Brockton Light.

SPORT

WETASKIWIN HOLDS LACOMBE TO SCORE OF 20 IN GOOD GAME

The big attraction in Wetaskiwin New Year's Day was the hockey encounter between Lacombe and Wetaskiwin. The game showed that the local players have the makings of a real team, as they held the visitors, who are strong contenders in the big four league, to a 2-0 score, and one of these tallies was a duke. Although the ice was rather soft, much speedy work was done and it was a very interesting game. Cook of Lacombe, scored in the first period, and the second was a blank, and in the third, the disc glided off a Wetaskiwin player and got by the Wetaskiwin goalie.

The players were: Lacombe—Goal, Charlsworth; defense, Cook, Duckworth; c. Fraser; r.w. Brooks; l.w. Wilson. Spares, Edmonds, Kubin, Raymond, Calkins. Wetaskiwin—Goal, Brickman; defense, Ostry, Watson; c. A. Abousaty; l. W. J. Munn; r.w. M. Merner; Spares—Aicher, J. Paton, Greiner, Umpire, W. Flindlater.

LADIES' CURLING CLUB

A meeting of the Ladies' Curling Club was held in the rink, when committee's were appointed, rinks chosen and final arrangements made for the season's curling. The opening tea will be held at the Curling Rink on Saturday afternoon, January 10th. The following committees were appointed:

Draw—Mrs. McMurdo and Mrs. Spencer. Cup—Mrs. Somers, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Whisman. Entertainment—Mrs. Knox, Mrs. Schofield, Mrs. MacFarlane. Points—Mrs. Miquelon, and Mrs. Merner. The personnel of the rinks is as follows: Miss Rockledge, Miss N. Chiddy, Miss Asp, Mrs. Miquelon, skip. Mrs. Orr, Mrs. Schofield, Mrs. Merner, Mrs. Wright, skip. Miss F. Cornell, Miss Rankin, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. McMurdo, skip. Mrs. Ingalls, Mrs. Chiddy, Mrs. Burkholder, Mrs. MacFarlane, skip. Miss B. M. Davies, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Whisman, skip. Spares—Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Westwood, Mrs. Wynne, Mrs. H. Cooke, Miss Kelley, Miss Lundell.

MUM'S THE WORD

"My boy," said the business man to his son, "there are two things that are vitally necessary if you are to succeed in business." "What are they dad?" "Honesty and sagacity." "What is honesty?" "Always—no matter what happens nor how adversely it may affect you—always keep your word once you have given it." "And sagacity?" "Never give it."

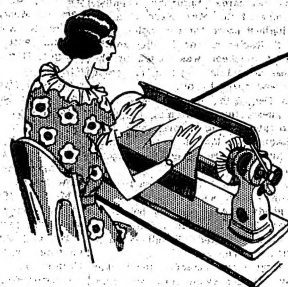
A DAILY CREED

(B. E. Gardner-Smith)

Along life's way whatever betide, May this resolve my actions guide: To do my part in heaven's plan In service to my fellow man. To strive to help those in distress. And ease the loads that on them press. To bring a smile to troubled face. Care's tracery there to erase. To keep an always open mind. And see the best in all mankind. Oh, may this be my living creed To do each day some kindly deed.

The shortest day of the year was on Sunday last when the winter solstice will be entered.

Not properly done a scraggy horn develops which may be only two or three inches in length. This will be very unsatisfactory and may be worse than not attempting to de-



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ter how heavy—glide rapidly through and come out smooth, lustrous, perfectly ironed. It's really done in a third of the time it used to take, and 20h, how much easier it is!

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WETASKIWIN

He was standing beside her as "Baby," he said, "I'm gonna tie you." They admired the beautifully decorated Christmas tree. Came the reply: "You sure can tied Christmas tree." With a tag on me. "From Me to link of the punkest presents."

Household Clearance

Many a prudent housewife has found it profitable to call upon The Wetaskiwin Times' Classified Ads. to effect a Household Clearance Sale.

In many homes there are stored away disused articles of household equipment, sewing machines, baby carriages, go-carts, articles of clothing, furniture and personal belongings, all of which may be quickly turned into ready cash.

By taking advantage of The Times' Classified Ads. a ready market can be developed for all used articles that may have intrinsic value.

A Household Clearance Sale conducted through Times' Classified Ads. has been the means of ridding many a household of discarded articles.

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Neighborhood NEWS

WINFIELD

Now that the holiday rush is over, everybody will be settling down to work in earnest once more. School began January 5.

Miss Vera Pencock, teacher at Seattle, returned from her holidays last Friday.

On Monday last Mr. Louis Hendrickson, who lives west of town, gave his friends a real surprise by returning from Calgary with his bride, the former Miss Muriel Pearson, who was the teacher at Seattle for several terms. Tuesday evening a party was given for the bride and groom, again were surprised by finding all in readiness for their arrival. A pleasant time was spent in dancing, etc. Refreshments were served to the guests, numbering fifty or thereabouts. A collection of \$8.00 was taken up by Mr. S. Hendrickson and presented to the happy couple, with the best wishes of the community. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hendrickson replied in brief, well-chosen words.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gibbons and family, Mrs. Sabin and family, were New Year guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tait. Mr. and Mrs. Woodbridge have moved into their new residence.

Mr. Drader made a business trip to Edmonton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Carroll and their baby son, and Mr. Carroll, Sr., have arrived in town. Mr. Carroll is engaged in preparing his mill for sawing the logs already on the mill-site, later in the season.

The regular monthly meeting of the U.F.A. took place in the school last Thursday night. It was decided to purchase a piano for community and school purposes, and to raise funds for payment thereof, by putting on a dance on the 15th, and a big concert on a later date.

Mrs. Sabin made a business trip to Edmonton last week.

What might have been a serious accident was narrowly averted when Mrs. Bernard's car slid off the icy grade, in climbing a big hill at Bay Lake. No one was injured.

Two of our local residents had the good fortune to find nuggets of gold in the crops of turnips which had been purchased from local farmers. Whether this discovery will lead to a "gold rush" or not remains to be seen, but it appears upon making further enquiries that the turnips frequented a local creek where gold panning had been done on a small scale several years ago. Some old time prospectors are rather sceptical about the location, as these birds are wont to roost where there is no doubt that owing to hard times, the discovery will be followed with a good deal of interest by those in the know.

(Intended for last week)

The Winfield school entertainment took place last Monday evening, in the school house, which was crowded to capacity for the occasion. H. B. Francis made a capable chairman. A program of choruses, recitations and dialogues by the pupils was directed by Mrs. Bernard, the teacher. Mrs. C. A. Stady accompanied the school choruses, on the organ. Jolly old Santa Claus then appeared, and, amid much cheering, distributed the gifts and bags of candy and nuts to all. After this, the audience joined in singing Christmas carols, to the able accompaniment of Mrs. Francis.

Mr. Albin Halgren, of Bardo, arrived on Monday's train to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Halgren.

Miss Ethel Linton left on Monday to spend the Christmas with her parents at Buck Lake.

Christmas Day was very quiet in Winfield, everybody being invited out or invited in. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gibbons and family moved to Buck Creek to spend the day with Mr. Gibbons' relatives; Mr. and Mrs. Tait and Mrs. Sabin and family drove out to Mr. Gibbons' farm; Mr. Ayre was home from Antross, Mrs. Ayre's brother, Mr. Cecil Reas, accompanied him; Mrs. Bernard went to Bay Lake; Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Alwood were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Alwood; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stady and family moved to Bay Lake; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Halgren were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Halgren.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Trautman have moved on to what is known as the E. P. Smith farm, north-west of New Norway.

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of the bride, at Fort Ross, on Sunday, Dec. 28th, when Rev. V. Leungin officiated in marriage. Miss Amanda Smith, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Smith of near Fort Ross, to Henry La Vern Bowers, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bowers of near Fort Ross.

The bride was becomingly attired in gown of light blue crepe back satin and carried a bouquet of carnations, and was attended by Miss Edith Johnson, while Mr. Conrad Johnson supported the groom. After the ceremony the happy couple repaired to the home of the bride, where a beautiful repast was served to a few relatives and close friends of the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Bowers will make their home west of New Norway, where the groom is a prosperous young farmer. The very best wishes of the community go with them on their journey through life.

LONE RIDGE

The regular meeting of the Lone Ridge U.F.A. will be held on Tuesday, January 13th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sparks. This meeting will be a neighborhood get-together of the community, and besides the regular business there will be singing and music, and very probably a prominent speaker. Lunch will be served. Ladies please bring cakes. Special arrangements will be made for little children.

Since 1916 no advertising signs or billboards have been set up on the state highways in California.

FALUN

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Rattray entertained at cards Saturday evening, December 27th. Mrs. Nosa obtained the highest score for the ladies, with Mr. P. Kadlec at the leading gentleman. A luncheon was served by the hostess at midnight and an enjoyable time was spent by all.

On Dec. 30th, Mr. and Mrs. Nosa had guests for an evening of "909", three tables being in play with Mrs. P. Kadlec and Mr. H. Nosa obtaining the highest score, everyone enjoying a pleasant evening.

A tree dance was given in the Pigeon Valley school, promoted by the goodwill of the school board, on January 2nd, the music and lunch being kindly donated by Mrs. A. Kadlec. A large crowd attended the party.

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BITTERN LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howarth of Gwynn were visiting with friends here on Monday.

Mrs. N. Holmstrom, who has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. T. J. Kadlec, returned home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Daley returned home from Dayland on Tuesday.

Mrs. T. Kadlec, of Dayland, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Daley, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gouchee are visiting at the former's home over the New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Engle entertained the young folks of the village at a skating party New Year eve.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Holmstrom are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. N. Holmstrom.

Clayton Gouchee, who has been with the B.B. gang, is visiting with his folks here.

Gunnard Holmstrom and E. Bush are visiting for the winter regions west of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Daley entertained their friends to a house party on New Year's eve, dancing and singing were enjoyed and midnight lunch was served, and it wasn't until the small hours of the morning that the party broke up, and everyone thanked Mr. and Mrs. Daley for a good time.

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The packing plant is in charge of Herbert Johnson, who has already fresh packed a care of fish which is destined to the New York markets.

R. M. Anderson, who has conducted a general store here for the past three years, is moving to a new location at Calmar, Alta., last week.

The young people are enjoying the fine weather, attending numerous house dances round about.

Who says there isn't some good along with the bad? The man with a green winter coat is a good fellow while the green winter coat is on.

There are still plenty of frozen fish in the round to be had in the lake.

Mr. Mills, Fishing Inspector, of the Dept. of Fisheries Service, Edmonton, is again going the rounds on Pigeon Lake.

Mr. Thomas of Millet, has opened a general store in Graves Blaine.

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This Week's Specials

WOOL DRESS MATERIALS in flannes, silk and wool flannel, wool crepe, regular \$2.50 and \$1.95 a yard. Specially priced at 95c yd.

BEAUTIFULLY DESIGNED CRETONNES, in many shades. Regular 66c and 75c a yard. Sale Price 45c a yard.

MANY CLEARING LINES OF CORSELETTES made from beautiful pink material with good quality elastic. Regular \$6.00 and \$5.00 a pair. Special price \$2.95

FRONT LACE CORSET with elastic panels. Regular \$6.00 and \$4.50 for \$2.95

GOOD WEIGHT CORSELETTES for \$1.00 each

Excellent quality SILK FUGI in many shades for 50c a yard

Extra special values on our REMNANT COUNTER in prints, crepes, ginghams, flannelettes, etc.

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January 9th to 15th

We have exceptionally good news for you this week

10c—WEEK—10c

PORK & BEANS, large tins 10c

Each 10c

MATCHES, 400 count 10c

Per pkg. 10c

CORN STARCH, 1 lb. pkg. 10c

Each 10c

AYLMER SOUPS, assorted kinds 10c

Each 10c

TOILET SOAPS, Royal Bouquet 10c

Large bars, 2 for 10c

SHELLED WALNUTS, 1/4 lb. 10c

Each 10c

BRUNSWICK SARDINES in oil 10c

2 tins 10c

CANNED PEAS, good quality 10c

Per tin 10c

MAGARONI, 8 oz. pkg. 10c

2 pkgs. 10c

PEANUT BRITTLE, for the kids 10c

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POTTED MEATS 10c

2 tins for 10c

FISH DINNER with sauce 10c

Daily Mishaps

ZAM-BUK is a pure herbal ointment known all over the world for its wonderful soothing and healing properties. It quickly stops pain and irritates, allays inflammation and grows new healthy skin. Zam-Buk is equally as good for eczema, ulcers and piles as for the daily mishaps such as burns, scalds, cuts, bruises or chafes. A sample free and post paid will be sent on application to Zam-Buk Co., Toronto.

Mr. Thomas Carpenter, 376 Third Ave., Yorkton, Que., writes: "I have been a user of Zam-Buk for more than thirty years, during that time I have used it for cuts, bruises, chafes, hands, skin troubles and rheumatism, and it has always given great satisfaction in healing wounds, and relieving pain. My personal opinion is that it is one of the best Ointments on the market."

Zam-Buk

Leda's Protege

(By C. W. Adamson)

Leda Hasler was driving through the tenement district with Elaine Chilton when she saw Cora Bryan with her solemn gray eyes and thin, pale face.

"Stop a minute, Elaine. I want to speak to this little girl."

"Goodness, what for?" But her friend stopped the sedan and Leda beckoned to the child of eight or nine years who stood watching them from the sidewalk.

"Come here, little girl. Where do you live?" asked Leda.

The child swung her arm around and pointed above her head.

Elaine giggled. "I suppose she means that ugly tenement, Leda."

"Yes, of course. Do you live with your father and mother?"

"Yes."

"Have you any brothers or sisters?"

"Yes, three brothers and two sisters," she replied.

"Eight of you, altogether," observed Leda. "What a large family. How large is your apartment?"

"Two rooms."

"What? Eight of you in two rooms?"

"Yes," she nodded solemnly.

"That's nothing unusual, Leda," remarked her friend. "These poor people live like that all over. But we shouldn't lose any more time if we are going to that bazaar."

"All right. What is your name?"

"Cora Bryan."

"Well, here is a dollar for you, Cora," Leda said, handing her the bill. "Get something you want."

SUFFERED FROM BACKACHES When Doing Her Housework

Mrs. Geo. Dennis, Leask, Sask., writes: "I suffered, for four years, from backaches when I was doing my housework. A friend told me about Doan's Kidney Pills. I have taken five boxes and am now feeling fine again. The pains in my back are completely gone, and the puffiness under my eyes has disappeared. I recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to all suffering women."

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Have Your Name Taken Off The Prohibition Petition

What reasons were given when you were asked to sign the Prohibition Petition?

Many of them have signed now regret doing so. They have changed their minds. The facts are different to those given.

Misrepresentation of purpose has been practiced in many parts of the province and the truth puts a different light on things.

You Can Have Your Name Struck Off The Petition If You Like

Write to
W. W. HOWE, Secretary,
Moderation League of Alberta, Inc.,
10012, 101A Avenue, Edmonton

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roomed house and the Bryan home with a family of eight crowded into two rooms; and not even a yard for the children to play in.

"It doesn't seem fair," she thought. "But what can I do? Perhaps those people are shiftless as Elaine said, but that's no reason why the children should suffer."

"That evening when her aunt returned, Leda told her about Cora Bryan. "I was wondering if I could not bring that little girl here with us, so she would have a better chance to get an education."

"Well, the house is yours, Leda," Aunt Ella replied, "but if her mother does not allow her to come, you will have to look after her yourself. I can't undertake to bring her up. I am on so many committees and everything."

"I know, Auntie, I'll look after her if you have no objection to having her around."

"Well, I'm not accustomed to having children in the house, but I suppose I can stand it if you can."

"Thank you, Auntie, I was counting on you. When you could give up your teaching to take care of me, I felt sure you wouldn't object to me helping another little girl who needs it badly. I think it will be wonderful having her here," she added.

"But, Leda," her aunt looked up suddenly, "you can't take her with you next week when you go camping with the other girls."

"No, I suppose I would have to miss that for a year," she said regretfully, "but maybe Cora and I could go to the beach for a while."

"Of course, her mother might not allow her to come," her aunt remarked.

"Well, I hope so, but I will see her about it tomorrow."

Leda Hasler felt rather foolish and panicky as she climbed the stairs of the Gray Apartments. The realization of what she was about to do—to approach a strange woman and ask her for her daughter—suddenly frightened her, but she walked on steadily and knocked at the door at the rear of the dark hallway.

"Good day," she greeted the short woman who opened the door. "Are you Mrs. Bryan?"

"Yes."

"I am Leda Hasler. I came to see you about Cora."

"Well, what about her?" demanded Mrs. Bryan.

"Oh, I wondered if you would allow her to come and stay with me for a while. We have a large house and you are so crowded here."

Mrs. Bryan shook her head. "I do not want my children to leave home. She is all right here along with the rest."

"I know you want to keep her, Mrs. Bryan, my mother would, but don't you think it would be nice for Cora to be in a cooler place these warm days? She is rather thin and pale. We would treat her well, and we have a car she would get plenty of fresh air."

"Are you married?"

"No, I live with my aunt."

"What does she think of it?"

"She says it will be all right."

"Well, I don't know what to say," continued Mrs. Bryan. "It is hot and stuffy here, rent is high, and we can't afford a better place. Here she is now, Cora, this young lady wants you to go and stay with her for a while."

Cora turned her solemn eyes upon the caller.

"I was speaking to you yesterday, you know," Leda said.

"Yes."

"Will you come with me?"

"For how long?" asked Cora.

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"It's a nice one. Dad is going to buy a car some day."

"That will be nice. But he will want to get a bigger apartment first, won't he?"

"Oh, I don't know, we've always lived in small rooms."

"Well, I hope your people will get into a better place. It must be very tiresome for your mother to work that. This is our house, now," Leda stopped the car before a large square house with a sloping green lawn.

"My, that would hold a hundred people!" Cora exclaimed.

"Oh, hardly. Come in. I don't think Aunt Ella is home yet. I'll take your suitcase upstairs."

Cora followed her up the steps and into a large airy bedroom decorated in light blue.

"Will you mind sleeping alone?" said Leda.

"No. Is this to be my room?"

"Yes, do you like it?" asked Leda, raising the blind.

"It's just swell. I didn't know you was a millionaire."

Leda laughed. "I'm not, and my aunt isn't either. You can hang your clothes in the closet. We'll go down town in the morning and get some light summer clothes. This is my bathroom," she added, opening a door off the hall. "You can get washed and then dressed for dinner."

"I had my dinner," returned Cora. "I mean supper, but it is the main meal of the day with us, and we usually call it dinner," explained her friend.

"What do you call dinner at noon?"

"That is luncheon."

Cora soon became adapted to life in the big house and she thoroughly enjoyed the experience. Leda discovered that she was not so care free with the little girl to look after, but as she had no sisters of her own she soon became strongly attached to her little protegee, and Cora adored her as a friend and wished to grow up to be a lady like her. Of course, her brothers and sisters were not forgotten, she visited them frequently and did what she could to make their lives brighter. Aunt Ella taught her to sew and knit, and she spent many happy hours making simple garments for her younger sisters.

After holidays, Cora went to the big school in the next street and with Leda's help she passed the two grades that term. Meanwhile, the affairs of the Bryan family were not improving. The father was out of work most of the winter, rent became overdue and only a contribution from Cora's funds saved the family from being ejected.

"Say, girls," began Leda, as a group of her friends sat around the comfortable living-room one warm July afternoon, after she had returned from a visit to the Bryan's.

"We simply have to do something about those Gray apartments. It isn't decent the way people are crowded in there like sardines in a can. The apartments must be made larger to accommodate the tenants."

"Or, for instance, the rent must be reduced so that they can have more room. Elaine, you know Mr. Gray, don't you?"

"Yes, I know him all right."

"Well, don't you think we could persuade him to do something for those poor people?"

"What? For instance, the only thing that could make him change his ways is more money. If we could show him how he could give those people more rooms and give himself more money at the same time, he might be interested."

"I'm afraid I don't know much about money-making schemes," confessed Leda. "Of course, I really think it would be far better if those poor souls with large families were living in the suburbs. It would not be so hot in the summer time and the children would have some place to play and gardens to work in."

"My father has several vacant lots over on the East side," remarked Elaine.

"So has mine," stated Greta Nelson. "Bought them back in the boom days and hasn't been able to get rid of them."

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When horses are turned out for the winter, remove their shoes to prevent injury, either from playing or fighting. Their feet should be inspected once in a while, and the irregularities corrected. The hoofs grow about one inch each month. Bear hoofs grow faster than front hoofs, and unshod hoofs grow faster than those that are shod.

The growing down of toes and heels throw the feet and pasterns out of shape and often make legs and feet unsteady. The hoof should be trimmed often with a rasp to keep the correct position.

As the idle horse lives largely on dry roughage, the teeth should be inspected occasionally. In the horse the upper jaw is slightly wider than the lower jaw, so that the teeth are not exactly opposite. The wear is not equally distributed, and sharp edges are often left on the inside of the lower molars and on the outside of the uppers which may cut the tongue and cheeks. When the horse eats, the food irritates the sore, and he may not feed well. These sharp edges should be rasped down with a guarded rasp as often as necessary to keep the teeth in proper shape.

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MILLET LADIES' AID

The January meeting of the Ladies' Aid at the home of Mrs. V. C. Rowley, opened with community singing and prayer. The missionary program was taken by Mrs. (Rev.) H. G. Smith, who was cordially welcomed after a severe illness. Plans were discussed how to raise the \$75.00 taxes now due on church and parsonage. The most popular way voted was to hold a home cooking sale also. Watch for date later.

The election of officers resulted as follows:
President—Mrs. J. W. West (re-elected).
Vice-President—Mrs. F. Facey (re-elected).
Secretary—Mrs. F. Higginson (re-elected).
Treasurer—Mrs. Percy Alkema.
Missionary—Mrs. (Rev.) H. G. Smith.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the retiring treasurer, Mrs. C. A. Kent, for her 12 years of faithful service. Mrs. (Rev.) H. G. Smith kindly offered her home for the next meeting.

LEADING MANUFACTURER PLANS BIGGER BUSINESS

London, Ont., and Battle Creek, Mich., Dec. 13st.—"A period that will bring the most exceptional rewards to virtually all sound and aggressive lines of business."

This is the forecast given today by Mr. W. K. Kellogg, Chairman of the Board of the Kellogg Company, leading manufacturers of cereal foods, in response to questions concerning the business prospects for the next twelve months.

"This is the kind of year when our company adds measurably to the strength of its foundations. Business is harder to get. Therefore, we go after it all the harder."

"During the year just ending we materially increased our expenditures for production facilities, advertising and sales. We are going to spend even more in 1931 and we expect it to pay."

"We believe this is going to be one of the best years to spend money wisely in advertising that we have had in the last ten years. People have learned new lessons in discriminating during the past year. They are more interested in reading about and buying good merchandise and more likely to be responsive to the manufacturer who goes to them with a telling selling message."

"We especially expect to increase our expenditures in newspaper advertising. This medium provides the flexibility and concentration of shock troops and can be directed most effectively to building up any territory where we may be slow."

"Our quotas set for 1931 represent a material increase over our average year in our history. And we expect to make them!"

GOOD TIMES

(By Grenville Kleiser)
Think "good times"
It is the state of mind
That brings prosperity
And put full days behind.

Talk "good times"—
No matter what they say;
Sane, optimistic talk
Will drive the clouds away.

Act "good times"—
Be equal to the test;
Compel "good times" to come,
Resolve to do your best.

Spread "good times"—
By thought and word and deed;
With sturdy faith and confidence
Know you will succeed!

ONLY A DOCTOR KNOWS
WHAT A LAXATIVE
SHOULD BE



Danger lies in careless selection of laxatives! By taking the first thing that comes to mind when bad breath, headaches, dizziness, nausea, biliousness, gas on stomach and bowels, lack of appetite or energy, or signs of constipation, you risk forming the laxative habit.

Depend on a doctor's judgment in choosing your laxative. Here's one made from the prescription of a specialist in bowel and stomach disorders. Its originator tried it in thousands of cases; all gave safe for women, children and old folks; thoroughly effective for the most robust man. Today, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, as it is called, is the world's most popular laxative. It is composed of fresh herbs and other pure ingredients. You can get it in generous bottles and ready for use, at any drugstore.

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Cook's Regulating Compound
A safe, reliable, regulating medicine. Sold in three sizes. No. 1, 2, 3. No. 3, 3¢ per box. No. 2, 2¢ per box. No. 1, 1¢ per box. Prepared on receipt of price. Free sample on request. THE COOK MEDICINE CO., TORONTO, ONT. (Formerly Windsor).

THE MILLET PAGE

THIS PAGE DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF MILLET AND DISTRICT

Telephone to, or leave all items for this page, as well as advertisements, & all orders for commercial printing. Phone all news to Millet Central. Post news to Mrs. JOHN MAINE, Times Correspondent, Gen. Del. Millet.

MILLET LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Cohen were Leduc visitors on Sunday.

The U.G.G. elevator is loading out two cars of wheat to Vancouver this week.

Mr. H. Young shipped another carload of green feed to Alkenskide, Alta. this week.

Miss Ruby Briggs entertained a number of her friends at her home on New Year's eve.

Mr. George Easterbrook of Mercal, Alta., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Easterbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watt of Edmonton, spent the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Chelson.

A. P. Burwash shipped by C.P.R. express a carload of Pigeon Lake whitetail to Chicago Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Wolfe had dinner and spent the evening with Mr. Roseburg and Mrs. Peterson Monday.

We wonder if all the dogs that are wandering the streets of Millet have a "dog tag" tag on their collars. Maybe.

Miss Kemp, of St. John's (Anglican) Mission here, spent Christmas and New Year's, the guest of Bishop and Mrs. Gray, Edmonton.

Mrs. E. Smith, Miss A. Smith and Messrs. J. Smith and R. Plant, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Nelson on New Year's.

Miss Perrie, who at one time taught the primary room in Millet school, was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Plant through the holidays.

Dowler Bros. of Calgary visited at the home of their mother, Mrs. A. Dowler, of Millet, on Monday. They were enroute to Edmonton.

Miss May Johnston, who spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnston, of Pipestone, returned to Centre Lodge on Sunday.

Last Friday, Police Magistrate Young, imposed a sentence of 30 days upon Herman Sutter, who was found guilty of the theft of a saw and pulley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Phillips and Miss Doris, motored to Edmonton on Sunday afternoon, where the latter remained to continue her Normal course.

Mr. Alexander has disposed of his logging interests to Messrs. Green and McLean of Mullhurst. Mr. Alexander expects to leave for the south shortly.

Mrs. G. H. Mulligan returned to Porto Bello last Monday, after spending her vacation at the respective homes of her own and Mr. Mulligan's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Craddock and daughter, the Misses Mabel and Evelyn Beaton, and Mr. Val Craddock, spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Beaton of Conjur Lake.

A Ford truck driven by Mr. H. Shermack, bumped into a Graham truck which was parked on the side of the trail about a mile and a half south of town. Both trucks received minor injuries.

Constable Pettigrew, assisted by Corporal Collett, arrested Richard Sutter for store breaking last week. The case was remanded by Police Magistrate Young, until the sitting of the higher court.

Mrs. A. Dowler, who spent Christmas week at the home of her son, Herbert, in Edmonton, was confined to her bed a few days while there, with an attack of septic throat. She returned to her home last Friday.

Mrs. Robt. June, of Salmon Arm, B.C., Mr. Albert Helmers of Edmonton, and Mr. John Helmers of Calgary, have been called home on account of the serious illness of their father, Mr. G. Helmers of Millet.

During January and February there will be Holy Communion at the 3 p.m. service as well as at 10 a.m. at the first Sunday in the month, (in St. John's Anglican Church) for country members who are not able to get into the earlier service.

Mrs. Mary Kinchella went to Edmonton last Wednesday to have an operation on her eye. Her doctor promises her perfect eyesight after this, when her host of friends told her in wishing the operation successful. Mrs. Kinchella has been practically blind for the past ten years.

St. John's Anglican Sunday school enjoyed a happy afternoon with their parents on Dec. 30th, in the Community hall, when they had a Christmas tree, with Santa visiting them. After a good tea, prizes were given by the Vicar, Rev. A. Murphy, to some of the members of the Sunday school, then a treasure hunt and various games were played.

HILLSIDE

Miss Dorothy Scott of Wetaskiwin, was the guest of Miss Lela Marr over New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Mackenzie and family of Edmonton, spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Howes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Harvey entertained a few of their friends to a "660" card party on New Year's evening. A most enjoyable time was had by those present.

A number of the younger set attended the dance put on by the Boy Scouts in Millet last Wednesday evening.

Miss Martha Bloedel of Lucas, spent a few days with Miss Lily Lander last week.

Mrs. H. G. Young and Mrs. G. H. Marr attended a reunion of the 1912 13 Camrose Normalites held in Edmonton on Friday last.

We understand that Hillside U. F. A. and U. F. W. A. are booked for a number of debates in the near future.

Don't forget the moving pictures in the school house on Friday evening, the 16th.

Miss Gladys Manders returned to Edmonton Sunday evening, after spending the New Year holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hosk.

Those who attended the dance in the school house on Friday last report a good time, there being about seventy couple present. The music was furnished by Messrs. H. Dare, P. Dickinson and J. Hoskins.

School re-opened on Monday with a good attendance.

A number of the W.I. and U.F.W.A. members motored to Wetaskiwin on Tuesday to hear Dr. Margaret Owen lecture on "Sex Hygiene."

Ed. Furlong shipped four fine Tamworth pigs out of the Province last week.

Here and There

(380)
Forty years of service with the Canadian Pacific Railway have received recognition in the appointment of George Hodge, assistant general manager, eastern lines, to be manager of the newly-created department of Personnel of the railway, announced by Grant Hall, vice-president of the company.

Mr. Hodge was specially selected for the appointment in view of his wide experience in labor matters and his long record of arbitration and kindred activities. He was especially in the limelight at the time of his last appointment when his presentation of that situation evoked unstinted praise in Canada and the United States.

Likelihood of a large entry list from the Prairies for the third annual Empire Hotel Midwinter Golf tournament to be played at Victoria Golf Club February 23-28 is indicated in enquiries pouring in from leading amateurs of the plains. Last year the tourney brought together 150 leading men and women golfers of the North Pacific and the Prairies and it was the champion who upset the dope by carrying off important portions of the silverware against the best golfers of Victoria, Seattle, Vancouver, Tacoma, Portland and Spokane.

Since the opening in 1923 of the New Brunswick School of Agriculture, 150 young men have attended the annual fall short course in practical agriculture. Attendance at the 1930 course which closed December 19, was the largest on record, the number of students registered being 35, half of them being members of young people's livestock and poultry clubs. The silver cup for general proficiency was awarded to Ralph H. Colpitts, of Pettit Codiac.

So fine is the quality of the turf produced by Bent Grass seed, a comparatively new variety produced in Canada, that during the past five years between 50,000 and 75,000 pounds of the seed have been exported to the United States each year. The quality is produced in Prince Edward Island and is used for lawns, golfing and bowling greens.

Motorist traffic to New Brunswick from the United States was 44 per cent greater in 1930 than in the previous year, this percentage of increase in tourist business being the greatest shown by any province of Dominion during that year. It is claimed by the New Brunswick Government Bureau of Information and Tourist Travel. Value of the trade is placed by independent estimates at \$15,000,000 in 1929 which must have been fully maintained if not up to \$20,000,000 in 1930.

One hundred pure-bred dairy cows were recently shipped from Vancouver to Hong Kong, being the largest shipment of cows that has been made from Canada to the Orient. Sixty per cent of the shipment were Holsteins and the balance Ayrshires and Guernseys.

Old Dobbin is not being supplanted by the tractor and motor car in Canada since there were in June 1930, 3,295,028 horses on Canadian farms compared with 3,400,352 in June 1929. A very small decrease in a decade. Combined figures for Alberta and Saskatchewan where there is a constant tendency toward mechanization in farm work, were 80,073 less horses than the previous year which practically accounts for the decrease throughout the whole of the Dominion.

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MILLET SCHOOL NEWS

Senior Elementary.
Phyllis Bear, Gordon Higginson and Marguerite Van Volkenburg, stand first in their class work for the months of November and December. Margaret Tate is back with us, after suffering at home with a badly sprained ankle.

Congratulations to the following for their perfect attendance during the first term ending in December: Russell Strand, Gordon Higginson, James Mellen, Beulah Simpson, Marguerite Van Volkenburg.

Gordon Higginson had the misfortune to "hurt" his foot while on his journey home from the skating rink, and we regret that he cannot be with us in the Christmas concert.

The following students have the highest standing in their grades in arithmetic for the first term ending in December: Yee Quong, John Golin, and Beulah Simpson. Those standing highest in spelling are: Yee Quong, Gordon Higginson and Beulah Simpson.

Miss Rose Kubicek, teacher of the Senior Elementary Grades, will spend her holidays at home visiting with friends and relatives.

The Boy Scouts are giving a card party in the Community hall next Friday week.

Master Dennis Lee of Wang, has been visiting his cousin, Gordon Lee, of the village.

Miss Mary Layman and friend were guests at the home of Mrs. H. Brinker last Friday.

The Millet Grain Commission held a special meeting at the office of Mr. Mitchell last Monday.

Mr. H. A. Maine of Edmonton, spent the week-end at the home of his brother, John F. Maine.

Mrs. Henry Brinker returned home last Monday, after spending a few days with friends in Edmonton.

Mrs. Ralph Pierce, of Canyon Creek, spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. E. J. Maine, at the home of John F. Maine, of Millet.

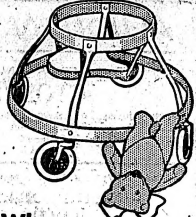
The many friends of Mr. (Dr.) Simpson will be sorry to hear she has been confined to her home for the past week with a bad cold.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Garbutt returned home on Saturday from Edmonton, where Mr. Garbutt has been working on Caterpillar tractors for the past month.

Mr. E. G. Thorn, has purchased the store formerly owned by Anderson Bros., at Pigeon Lake. We understand that he is opening it for business again soon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wilkinson of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilkinson of Bon Accord, spent last Sunday at Plety Knob Farm, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wagner.

Mrs. Helen Furlong, with Elizabeth and Mickey, left Millet on Monday for Beatrice, Nebraska, where they will spend a couple of months visiting Miss Elizabeth Weston and other relatives.



When BABIES are Upset

BABYs and ailments seem twice as serious at night. A sudden cry may mean colic. Or a sudden attack of diarrhea. How would you meet this emergency—tonight? Have you a bottle of Castoria ready?

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J. A. BRIDGES, Manager
J. A. BLACK, Manager

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Bill Slow's stock is all out of date, his business is in an awful state — no trade comes to his store. His ribbons, dress goods, coats and hats would scare a belfry full of bats, and cobwebs frame his door. Bill thinks to advertise would cost just twice as much as he has lost in waiting for a buyer.

But Henry Dash across the way, knows advertising's sure to pay — it draws crowds like a fire. So to our office he come down, for the best sales service in the town, announcing special offers. He gives his trade a chance to save; his profits he can closely shave — the volume fills his coffers.

Have our advertising manager call and show you this remarkable Sales Service.

The Wetaskiwin Times

"The Paper With A Circulation"

Phone 27

Wetaskiwin

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TONIGHT AND FRIDAY ONLY, 8 P.M. January 8-9

"TOM SAWYER"

You enjoyed Tom Sawyer and his gang when you read of them. But when you actually meet them on the screen you'll love them more than ever before—you'll laugh as you've never laughed yet. TWO ALL TALKING COMEDIES

Sat., 2:30, 7:30, 9:30 p.m., Mon., Tues., 8 p.m. Jan. 10-12-13

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A God to the savage cannibals—a deep sea diver stalks into the heart of a casaway girl. This amazing picture takes you to the South Sea Islands—and to the bottom of the sea where you see strange monsters battle-dying men. This is one of the most remarkable pictures ever filmed. Do not miss it. TWO ALL TALKING COMEDIES

Wed., Thurs., Fri., 8 p.m. Jan. 14-15-16

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All the beauty, thrills and mystery of darkest Africa revealed. Land of savagery and dangerous adventure where Nature is without mercy and deadly beasts of the jungle are supreme. A plague of locusts, playful crocodiles, hippopotami, flamingoes, pygmies, lions, giraffes, rhinos and duck-billed women. Jungle life is brought to your door. No one should miss seeing this marvelous film. No advance in price. TWO ALL TALKING COMEDIES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Cooke Agencies have money to loan on good farm security.

See the Imperial Lumber Company, Ltd., for wagon rack irons, oak veneers, wagon reaches and general wagon oak stock. 33-4th

The annual dance of the Wetaskiwin L.O.L. and L.O.B.A. will be held in the Elks' hall on Thursday evening, January 15th, commencing at 9:30 sharp. Music by Sunny Six Orchestra. Admission, gents, \$1.00; ladies, 50c, including supper.

See the Imperial Lumber Company for your paints, oils, varnishes, brushes, etc. It will pay you. 33-4th

If your auto is not protected against fire and theft, see the Cooke Agencies.

Get your storm doors and storm sash from the Imperial Lumber Company. They have a well assorted stock. 33-4th

A hockey game between Bittern Lake and the Wetaskiwin Juniors will take place at the local rink on Friday evening, January 9th, at 9 o'clock. Prices as usual. 33-4th

The Girl Guide Association are holding a bridge party in the Guide hall on Wednesday, January 14th, at 8 p.m. Lunch will be served. Admission 50c. 17-13

The Imperial Lumber Company has blacksmith coal for you! Call and get some. Prices right. 33-4th

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WETASKIWIN MARKETS

Wednesday, January 7, 1931	
No. 1 Northern	24
No. 2 Northern	20
No. 3 Northern	27
No. 4 Wheat	24
No. 5 Wheat	20
Feed Wheat	17
Oats	14
Barley	11
Rye	12
Hogs	6.50
Cows	3.50 to 4.00
Lambs	6.00 to 8.00
Butter	38-33
Eggs	19-17-13

PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY
Evangelists Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cobb
in charge.
10:30 a.m.—Devotional.
12 Noon, Sunday school.
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic.

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New in the time to have your watch overhauled.
It's a good running order.
Prompt Service. Right Price.
All Work Guaranteed.

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Phone us

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Church and
Sunday School

IMMANUEL CHURCH
Rev. F. C. Wade, L.T.E.
Sunday, Jan. 11—Epiphany 1—
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and sermon.
2:30 p.m.—Sunday school.
The annual meeting of the parishioners will be held in the Parish Hall on Friday, January 16th, at 7 p.m.
Vicarage: Adjacent to church.
Phone 298.

FIRST UNITED CHURCH
Minister, Rev. A. L. Elliott, M.A., B.D.
Choir leader, W. M. M. Touche
Sunday, Jan. 11—
11 a.m.—The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
2:30 p.m.—Sunday School.
7:30 p.m.—Evening worship.
This is being observed as a special week of prayer. Services are being held in the church at 8 p.m. each day except Saturday.
The Session is called to meet on Friday at 7:30 p.m.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
Rev. O. H. Miller, pastor
Sunday, Jan. 11—
8 a.m.—Vespa, Malmo: Divine services at 8 p.m.
Bethlehem, Wetaskiwin: Sunday school at 10 a.m. Evening services at 8. All the Scandinavian people are invited to worship with us. Speakers, Revs. Meyer, Asper and Wickstrom.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
W. J. Ewing, Pastor
Sunday, Jan. 11—

10:30 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:30 a.m.—Morning service. Topic: "Temptations peculiar to the Tongue."

7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic service.
Thursday evening at 8—Prayer meeting.

Friday evening at 7:30, Y.P.S.
Monday evening, Jan. 12, at 8 in the church, we will open a Bible Study Class on "Prophecy."

SWEDISH BAPTIST
P. M. Meyer, Minister
Sunday, Jan. 11—

Wetaskiwin: Sunday school, 11 a.m. There will be evening service on account of united service in the Swedish Lutheran church.

Nashville Church: Sunday school, 2 p.m.; Gospel service, 3 p.m.
The Bible School will begin January 17th, with two days' prayer conference held in the church. Rev. P. A. Peterson of Lindsay, Kansas, will be one of the speakers, and teachers.

BRIGHTVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. J. M. Baxter, Pastor
Sunday, Jan. 11—

Battle Lake—Preaching service at 11 a.m.
Ernest Park School—10:30 a.m. Sunday school in charge of R. A. Stevens.

Brightview—Sunday school at 2 p.m. Preaching service at 3 p.m. Special music at this service.

Bildner School—Sunday school and preaching service, 2:30 p.m. (German). Miss Leschert in charge. Preaching service at 8 p.m. English.

ZION LUTHERAN
(Dickson Avenue)
Rev. A. Appelt, Pastor
Sunday, Jan. 11—

10:45 a.m.—German.
12:15—English Sunday school.
No evening service.
Saturday school, 9:30 a.m.

WALDHEIM LUTHERAN
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2:15 p.m., German. Congregation meeting after service.
7:30 p.m.—English.

THE SALVATION ARMY
Capt. Rayner, Lieut. Robertson.
Holiness meeting, 11 a.m.
Company meeting, 3 p.m.
Salvation meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday—Prayer meeting, 8 p.m.
Thursday—Public meeting, 8 p.m.

MANY ORGANIZATIONS, BUT ONLY THREE WORTH WHILE

There is a special organization for every type of citizen of Alberta at present, including the juveniles. We have organizations to prevent men drinking liquor and organizations to encourage women drinking tea. We have organizations for the passing of resolutions and organizations for the passing of your partner's bid. We have organizations for shooting the crowns and organizations for shooting at banks. Nor are the ladies a whit behind in forming organizations of various kinds. In fact, they do the men a little better as they divide and sub-divide their

organizations into circles, and each circle is again sub-divided into departments with a superintendent at the head of each department. What these organizations are all for, the Lord only knows, and it may be a mystery to Him.

There are only three organizations that are worth while. First, there is the organization of women who furnish banquets and put on chicken suppers as represented by the Ladies' Aid and the U.F.W.A. Any organization that appeals to a man's stomach is well worth while. Then there is the organization like the Montreal Light and Power that ends out a dividend every three months. This is also worth while if it keeps the dividends up regularly. Then there are the organizations like the various churches that keep us pepped up to secure a front seat in the heavenly coliseum in the next world. Allied with the latter type of organization, are the kind that spread Christmas cheer and optimism. These fill their place.

But the ordinary run of organizations have been invented to fill the idle hours of those who have nothing else to do. They are for people who have no eyes and they see not, and no ears and they hear not, and no mind and they read not. All the better if they give that glowing feeling of good-will that comes from passing a resolution to reform something or other, in some way or other. This would be a dull world if there was nothing to reform and when a man is weary with his eye resolutions there is always something that can turn his attention to making his perfect as himself.

One of our leading ladies gets on the telephone some bright morning, and the following conversation ensues:

"Oh, Mrs. G. B. Graham, there will be a meeting of the Ladies' Social Protective Club at the home of Mrs. Whitaker tonight. This is a new club and they want a good executive made up of ladies like yourself. What is the club for?"

"I don't quite know, the bylaw book has not yet come up from Calcutta. I understand that it is for the purpose of keeping the men at arm's length. Mrs. Gladious will give an address on the intrinsic value of the Super Man." By the way, will you bring along a box of that new brand of cigarettes? The kind that have the nice perfume. Mrs. Bamboozle, who will likely be our president, would like to sample them. We are going to affiliate with the A.B.C.D."

Or perhaps it is one of our leading men who gets in on the telephone and converses as follows:

"Hello, George. Come around to New Era School tonight. Yah. There's going to be a big meeting. Yah. We are going after the banks. They've got to give us money without interest. Yah. There's got to be a moratorium for three years. What's that? You say that we should shoot all the banks? Well, never mind about the banks. Right now. What we want is to shoot the capitalists. Yah. We'll make you president. There'll have to be about twenty on the executive so we expect that the school will be well filled. Yah. Mr. Bloomersky of Three Hills, the provincial president, will be here."

After all, what is the difference? If an organization makes us happier by all means let us have it. Misery likes company and perhaps our organizations are merely safety valves to prevent some of our leading citizens from running amuck—Stettler Independent.

NEW RECORD IN PUBLIC WORKS FOR ALBERTA, 1930

Public works in Alberta in 1930 were the most active in the history of the province, according to Hon. Q. L. McPherson, who says: "In a year of unemployment, and aside from relief work, it was the biggest year in public works we have yet had, with more development in the way both of building and road-making operations."

The building program put through by the government was an unusually heavy one, including, as it did, the new administration block in Edmonton, new court houses at Red Deer and Vegreville, and important addition to the plants of the provincial institutions at Ponoka and Oliver and the jails at Fort Saskatchewan and Lethbridge.

Highways expenditures were the largest on record. The vote for main highways was \$1,500,000, the capital vote for grants to municipalities was

\$750,000, also larger than ever before, and the bridge vote was another \$750,000. There was unprecedented activity in secondary highways, financed on a fifty-fifty basis with the local districts. A greatly increased maintenance vote was also given and used. All the votes, in fact, have been used up, the sum total representing a vast amount of permanent improvement work.

Mr. McPherson says further that it was a good year in point of the work itself. Conditions were generally favorable, and the various contracts were practically 100 per cent completed before the shut-down came in the early winter. The work was well done, too, the minister declares, and the province is by so much the better furnished with good buildings, roads and bridges.

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Get Set For Banff Carnival



The stand-out week in the west this winter will be February 7-14 when the Banff Winter Sports Carnival will be held. Paradise of skiers, ski-jorers, snowshoers, curlers, hockey, skating, tobogganning, sleighing, mushing, and every variant of winter sport, there is added to all these the incomparable beauty of a setting in the heart of the Rockies, clothed in their winter dress of ermine beneath a sky of turquoise. The pretty little town of Banff is lit from end to end in a blaze of colored lights with, here and there, the

tepees of the Stony Indians and the colorful note of bright-hued blankets, befeathered head-dresses, beaded squares and shiny-eyed paposes. As if all this were not enough to crowd into one short week, there is the great Ice Palace, lit up at night with fireworks displays, the annual trap shoot of the Banff Gun Club, the packing contest with its high light of the famous diamond

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